

**Table 1. Fiscal Year 2003**  
**Average Sentence Length by Forecasting Crime Type**

Forecasting Category	PRISON SENTENCE		JAIL SENTENCE		OTHER SENTENCE	TOTAL
	Number	Months	Number	Months	Number	Number
Murder 1	34	441.7	0	n.a.	0	34
Murder 1*	1	Death	0	n.a.	0	1
Murder 1**	14	Life	0	n.a.	0	14
Murder 2	63	204.9	1	2.5	0	64
Manslaughter	104	67.6	7	10.7	0	111
Manslaughter**	1	Life	0	n.a.	0	1
Sex	560	90.8	794	3.9	43	1397
Sex**	6	Life	0	n.a.	0	6
Robbery	426	53.2	156	5.7	0	582
Robbery**	6	Life	0	n.a.	0	6
Assault	1566	36.6	2666	4.2	83	4315
Assault**	3	Life	0	n.a.	0	3
Property	2711	25.1	6578	2.7	563	9852
Drug	2801	29.4	5792	2.5	302	8895
Other	518	22.4	1372	3.2	42	1932
TOTAL	8814	37.3	17366	3.0	1033	27213

\* Death sentence.

\*\* Life sentence.

n.a. = not applicable

NOTE 1: Calculations of average sentence length exclude life/death sentences.

NOTE 2: The above categories are those used by the Department of Corrections and the Caseload Forecast Council for forecasting purposes and are not identical to classifications under the Sentencing Reform Act. For example, the sex categories include pornography and prostitution offenses, which are not classified as sex offenses per se under the Sentencing Reform Act.

NOTE 3: The data reported above for the categories of "assault" and "other" are not comparable to reports prior to FY02. In FY02 the crime categories were revised to more closely match those used by the Department of Corrections and the Caseload Forecast Council. A number of crimes previously reported in the category "other" were re-categorized under "assault".